

MAJOR LEAGUERS PICK SPRING CAMPS

AS FAVORED DEAL SPOT TO WORK CLUBS

Major League Clubs Pick of
the Year—Louisiana,
Florida, California.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—With the ex-

ception of the St. Louis Browns, all of the major league clubs have completed their training plans.

The majority of the teams will start new places, only six of them returning to last year's camps.

Texas City, Mo.,

Texas is the favorite state this year, getting half of the big time

spring camps. Two are going to Arizona, two to Florida, two to

California and one to California.

Hot Springs and San Antonio will

be a pair of clubs each, the

Pittsburgh Pirates and the Boston

Red Sox having decided upon the

Atlantic resort, while the New

York Giants and the Detroit Tigers

under their new manager, Ty Cobb,

will go to the Texas resort.

The Brooklyn champions and the

New York Yankees will train in the

same neighborhood and will engage

in a series of training games.

Where They'll Train.

Training places as announced

are:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati—1929, Miami, Fla.;

1930, Ohio, Texas.

Pittsburgh—1929, Hot Springs, Ark.;

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Chicago—1929, Pasadena, Calif.;

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St. Louis—1929, Brownsville, Texas;

1930, Orange, Texas.

New York—1929, San Antonio, Texas;

1930, San Antonio.

Brooklyn—1929, Jacksonville, Fla.;

1930, Shreveport, La.

Philadelphia—1929, Birmingham, Ala.;

1930, Gainesville, Fla.

HERO AVIATORS ENTER CLASSIC WHIRL OF CARS

Howard and Bertrand
Sign for Sweepstakes
in May.

Indianapolis, Dec. 20.—Ray Howard, the boss brummet of the auto racing fraternity, and Lloyd Bertrand, another race pilot, flew into this town this week to secure entry blanks for the ninth annual international 500-mile sweepstakes race, which will be held at the Indianapolis motor speedway Monday, May 20, 1931.

The race pilots are riding an Italian S. V. A. biplane from New York to Tulsa, Okla.

Howard will drive a Peugeot in the Indianapolis affair and Bertrand will team with him in a duplicate car. These cars will be entered by an American sportsman and will race independent of the Peugeot cars which will be sent from France.

Tulsa for Howard.

Howard will be making his third appearance over the Indianapolis track next May. He started in a Peugeot last May but was hampered with engine trouble throughout the race and dropped out at 450 miles when he found that by finishing he would be out of the money.

His car was one of the classic speedsters of the track and was ready for the race days before the speed merchants faced the starter.

But old man Bad Luck almost overtook him as the race had started.

Bertrand will be a newcomer at the Indianapolis track, but he is popular as a race pilot on the coast.

Howard and Bertrand were aviators in the World war. Howard was in Italy with the Italian flyers and Bertrand was an inspector in aerobatics with the American aviators.

Great 10-Hour Trip.

They were in the air 10 hours making the trip from New York, where they reside, to Indianapolis. They stopped here all week and left for Kansas City. They will then go to Tulsa to demonstrate the possibilities of the airplane in the oil fields. The racers and flyers encountered cold weather on their trip, especially along the great lake.

The Italian plane Howard and Bertrand are piloting is the same as the Italian army flyers used and is capable of doing 143 miles an hour. Therefore speeding a race car over the bricks of the Indianapolis speedway is rather a slow occupation for these speed demons.

Entry blanks for the coming race were not ready for distribution, but Howard and Bertrand will fly back in a few weeks and sign up then.

CARDS TIED BY STAYMS ELEVEN

Staley and Tiger Share Job to Hold
Driscoll's, 14-14, in Fast
Game.

The Stayms, aided by several stars from the crack Staley team of Decatur, played Chris O'Brien's Cardinals a 14 to 14 tie in the final outdoor football of the season at Pyott field yesterday.

The help from the downstate team was needed, for the Cards outplayed them at every angle. They scored two touchdowns by line plunging and were well on their way to the winning marker when time was called with the ball on the Stayms' 10-yard line.

Murphy is Star.

Quarterback Fred Murphy made the feature run of the afternoon when he caught the ball on the kick-off and ran 30 yards to the Cards' goal. Fred Froelich was mainly responsible for the second touchdown of the Stayms. He blocked a punt and when it came to Fortuna he had but 10 yards to go over.

Paddy Driscoll gave a dandy display of forward passing and open field play. He was the whole show for the Cardinals.

Line Up.

Stayms (14) Cardinals (14)

Larson, L.T. Florence

Froelich, L.T. Gilles

Fortune, L.G. Chappel

Harder, C. Whalen

Shoemaker, R.G. Eria

Blacklock, R.T. Brennan

Hales, R.E. La Ross

Murphy, O.E. Driscoll

Annas, R.H. McInerney

Gorman, R.H. Egan

Kelly, F.B. Carvan

Substitutions—Traffon for Harder, Swanson for Annas, Falcon for Kelly, Sachs for La Ross, Knight for Whalen. Touchdowns—McInerney, Egan, Fortune, Murphy.

Goals from touchdowns—Driscoll (3), Larson (3).

YANKS, WHITE SOX
AND BOSTONERS IN
ARMS OVER OUSTER

New York, Dec. 20.—(United Press).—The owners of the New York, Chicago and Boston American league clubs so resent the action of Ben Johnson in railroading them off the board of directors that they are planning to open the battle in court that was closed last winter by a peace agreement.

They expect Johnson to retaliate by pressing his demand that the league pay his legal bill for fighting the insurgents last winter.

In this event the insurgents threaten to take their case before Judge Landis.

SHARKEY KAYO GIVES HIM TITLE MATCH



Joe Lynch, who recently proved strong enough at 118 pounds to knock out Jack Sharkey, Jimmy Wilde's only master, paved his way to this opportunity.

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end of the purse amounted to \$63.

But times have changed since then. Lynch has climbed within sight of the promised land. His ring earnings during the past year reach over the \$50,000 mark.

Yet success has not turned his head. He doesn't run to taxicabs and cabarets. The night after kayoing Sharkey and collecting \$10,000 for his bit Joe walked to his home on West Forty-seventh street.

Drives Dad's Truck.

His father, a sister and four brothers occupy ringside seats when he boxes. They are all good, healthy rosters. Three or four days a week Joe drives a truck for his dad.

When he best Sharkey a tiny crucifix was laced under the tape on his right hand. Believing this to be an omen of good he'll probably never fight again without it.

On several occasions Lynch has outpointed Champion Herman. Yet he isn't boasting that he will be able to stop him this time. Herman is smart. He also can hit. Lynch planned match with Wilde next January in London will get a setback. The London go means just \$40,000 to the champion.

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BOXING COMISH MUST BE FIRM

If State is to Get Glove Sport, Fewer Men Must Be Sought to Preserve Integrity.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Officials of organizations interested in the passage of a bill to make boxing legal in the state of Illinois agree unanimously on one point. That is that it will not be the law, so much as the commission, which will make the sport successful.

DISCIPLINE NEEDED.

Upon the selection of three commissioners, one of whom will be chosen chairman, and a secretary, will rest great responsibility, for it is certain that if boxing is to last these men must be of a type disposed to rule with an iron hand. They must force discipline, regardless of influence, and in doing that the sport will be kept clean.

Col. John V. Cinnin of the American Legion, Commander Musser of the United States Spanish War Veterans, and Aid. Joseph Kastner all agree that boxing would not last in Illinois if not properly conducted under a commission of men such as just described.

MUST NOT FEAR CRITICISM.

"It isn't going to be an easy matter to find the right men for a boxing commission," said Colonel Cinnin. "The type for this task must be men who will hold those who engage in the sport under strict control. They must be men who do not fear criticism, for it has been demonstrated in other states where the sport is legal the boxing commissions are subjected to such criticism. Criticism isn't always justifiable, but it comes just the same."

New York to Enjoy
Big Week in Boxing

New York, Dec. 26.—The following are the boxing bouts scheduled in New York for the coming week:

MONDAY.

At New York State Sporting Club—Young Eddy vs. Mickey McCabe.

At Freeport Auditorium, Freeport, L. I.—Johnny McGuire vs. Johnny Walker; Charley Smith vs. Bob Brown.

At Brighton Boxing Club, Staten Island—Frankie Daly vs. Frankie Fay.

At Troy, N. Y.—Dutch Brandt vs. Dick Leadman.

TUESDAY.

At New York Commonwealth Club—Billy Sterns vs. Bobby Lyons; Irving Jampole vs. Artie Rose.

At New York Commonwealth Sporting Club—Billie DeJoe vs. Freddie Jacobs; Spider Roach vs. Johnny Drummler; Frankie Jerome vs. Frankie Curry.

At New York Madison Square Garden—Pete Herman vs. Joe Lynch; Midget Smith vs. Johnny Duff; George Thompson vs. Babe Asher.

SATURDAY.

At New York Commonwealth Sporting Club—Willie Brown vs. Billy Douglas; Johnny Hart vs. Joe Lewis; Sammy Vogel vs. Red Monroe; Sammy Rosenberg vs. Paul Edwards.

At Pioneer Sporting Club—Packer Hommey vs. Bobby North.

MILLIKIN DEFEATS
ILLINOIS BASKET
TEAM, SCORE 29-24

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 20.—Millikin defeated Illinois, 29 to 24, Saturday night. Coach Winter's best squad managed to lead the visitors in the first half, but the reserves were not able to stop the accurate Gill lineup.

Illinois (24): B. F. P. T. Mee, rf. 4 0 0; Walquist, lf. 1 0 1; Reitsch, c. 1 0 2; Vail, rg. 0 0 1; Collins, lg. 1 0 3; Lane, rf. 2 1 0; Hellstrom, lf. 2 1 0; Gipson, c. 0 0 0; Watt, c. 1 0 0; Sobo, rg. 0 0 0; Bates, lg. 0 0 0.

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Gets "T" For One Minute Of Play

Most football players have to take a good many hard knocks and go through a bruising season to earn their college letters.

But here's a chap who earned his "T" for just one minute's work and it is about the biggest letter sported on the University of Texas campus.

Francis Dominguez was a sideline wallflower until the last minute of the last game Texas played this fall. Then he jumped into the battle and carried the ball over for a touchdown, saving his team from defeat by a 7 to 3 score.

When the University of Texas met the Texas Aggies on Thanksgiving Day for the Southwestern Conference title, the Aggies had totaled 550 points in three years and had not permitted an opponent to cross their goal line in 27 contests.

The Aggies led the first three-quarters of the title game 3 to 0. In the last few minutes of play Texas worked the ball to the six-yard line. Dominguez, although he had sat on the sidelines all through the season, was rushed in and plunged through for a touchdown.

The belated Texas star is a six-footer and weighs 190 pounds. Line plunging is about all he can do well.

In the estimation of the students and the thousands of Texas alumni it is the biggest "T" ever earned.

For the alumni, Ed Tabor was the brightest star. The former high school luminary leaped them in from all angles. All the other grades performed brilliantly and showed that they hadn't lost their punch since leaving school.

High school (23)—Duncan, rf. Biehl, lf. Rosenkrantz, c. Henke, rg. Hall, lg.

Alumni (20)—Herbert, rf. Erbstein, lf. Anderson, c. Duffin (C.), rg. Dopp, lg.

Substitutions: High school—Duncan for Duncan, Edwards for Biehl. Alumni—Ed Tabor for Herbert, Al Tabor and Morris for Anderson, Lotgren for Duffin, Heimbeck for Dopp.

Field goals: High school—Duncan 8, Biehl 1, Henke 1. Alumni—Ed Tabor 3, Al Tabor 1, Anderson 1, Morris 1.

Free throws: High school—Duncan 0 out of 2, Biehl 3 out of 7, Al Tabor 1 out of 1, Duffin 2 out of 4, Erbstein 3 out of 3, Al Tabor 1 out of 1.

Referee—Record, Rock Island.

Traveling at a fast rate of speed, LaSalle high school defeated Moline on the latter's own floor, 24-18, Saturday. The visitors had the advantage of experience, and also were favored by the breaks.

Once it looked as though Moline was to sweep her way to a victory, but the visitors tightened and the rally was ended. Moline played a dogged, determined but not over-scientific game.

AKRON UNLOADS 2
STAR PERFORMERS

Akron, Ohio, Dec. 20.—(United Press).—The sale of Joe Shannon, outfielder to the Detroit Americans, and of Ed ("Patsy") Flaherty, pitcher, to San Francisco of the coast league, was announced by the Akron International club today.

O'DOWD PUTS UP
\$5,000 IN CASH TO
ATTRACT WILSON

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 20.—Mike O'Dowd, former middleweight boxing champion, announced here that he would pay \$5,000 in cash out of his own pocket to Johnny Wilson, who won the middleweight title last spring, for a 15-round return match with Wilson.

O'Dowd, who returned to his home here last night from the east, said Tex Rickard, fight promoter, had offered Wilson \$35,000 for a match with the former champion.

In addition to the \$5,000 "bonus" O'Dowd said he would give Wilson \$1,000 if the latter beat him in a return fight.

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HI'S SURPRISE GRADS BY GOOD BASKET AIMING

Old-Timers Win, 20-22, But Younger Players Are Always Dangerous in First Game.